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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Kindly preliminarily amend the above application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Add the following new claims:

~~116.~~ The method according to claim 1, 2 or 3 wherein said peptide is selected from the group consisting of CD44-1, CD44-2, CD44-3, CD44-4, CD44-5, CD44-6, CD44-6a, CD44-7, CD44-8, CD44-9, CD44-10, CD44-11, CD44-12, and CD44-13.

7. The method according to claim 5 wherein said anti-CD44 antibody is A3D8 or A1G3.

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